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David Waddell, Executive Secretary Tennessee Regulatory Authority 460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, TN 37238

Re:

Proceeding for the Purpose of Addressing Competitive Effects of Contract Service Arrangements Filed by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. in Tennessee

Docket No. 98-00559

Dear Mr. Waddell:

This afternoon I received a copy of a letter from Henry Walker on behalf of SECCA and NEXTLINK requesting that the Authority postpone argument concerning the Hearing Officer's Third Report and Recommendation from June 8 until June 22. BellSouth opposes this request. No motion for a continuance has been filed by SECCA or NEXTLINK. Moreover, BellSouth has filed a Response to the Third Report and Recommendation and is prepared to discuss that Response with the Directors tomorrow.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

Guy M. Hicks

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cc: Henry Walker (via fax)

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on June 7, 1999, a copy of the foregoing document was served on the parties of record, via the method indicated:

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